

## Message Text

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R 282208Z APR 78  
FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY LA PAZ  
AMEMBASSY SANTO DOMINGO  
INFO AMEMBASSY PANAMA  
SECDEF WASHDC 0133 0221  
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PANAMA FOR GAO TUCKER

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: AGAO, ESTC, PARM

SUBJECT: GAO REVIEW: "CONTROLS EXERCISED OVER COMMERCIAL  
ARMS AND MUNITIONS SALES TO FOREIGN  
BUYERS"

REF: (A) STATE 96498 (B) PANAMA 02639 (NOTAL)

1. GAO HAS INFORMED DEPARTMENT THAT IT IS CANCELLING  
VISIT TO LA PAZ SCHEDULED TO BEGIN MAY 9.
2. IN LIEU OF LA PAZ TRIP, GAO MAY PLAN TO VISIT DOMINICAN  
REPUBLIC FOLLOWING ELECTIONS. POST WILL BE NOTIFIED WHEN  
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THIS DECISION IS MADE. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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